



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: **DOW, ET AL.**

FOR: **FLUTICASONE LOTION HAVING
IMPROVED VASOCONSTRICTOR
ACTIVITY**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are provided before the initial examination of the above-identified patent application. Examination and consideration of the above application in light of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.